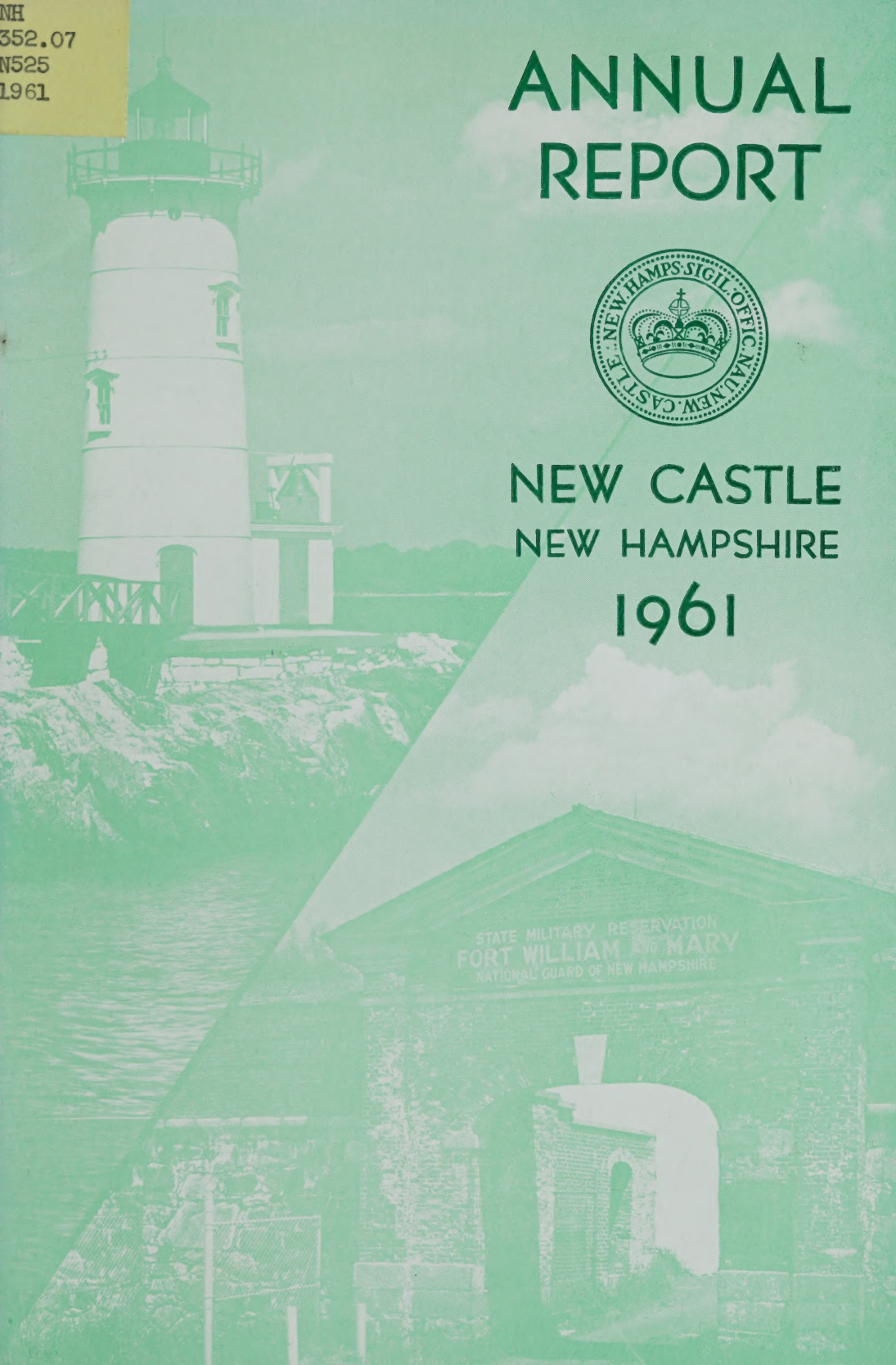



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TOWN OFFICERS 1961

- TOWN CLERK Dorothy S. Becker
- SELECTMEN
Ralph S. Frobisher, 2 years Kenneth E. Maxam, 1 year
John F. Hodgdon, 3 years
- TREASURER Frank A. Hulshof
- AUDITOR Ingeborg Almgren
- COLLECTOR OF TAXES William Priestley
- CHIEF OF POLICE Henry Greenberg
- ROAD AGENT Richard C. Tabbutt
- HEALTH OFFICER George Patten, D.M.D.
- FIRE WARDEN Thomas H. Webb
- WATER COMMISSIONERS
Warren M. White, 2 years Harlan M. Talbot, 1 year
William Priestley, 3 years
- TRUSTEE OF TRUST FUNDS Walter C. Hayder
- TRUSTEES OF CEMETERIES
Haven W. Johnson, 2 years Charles W. Clark, 1 year
Walter C. Hayden, 3 years
- LIBRARY TRUSTEES
Margaret R. Frobisher, 2 years Gertrude L. McCarthy, 1 year
Carrie Robinson, 3 years
- MUNICIPAL COURT William F. Harrington, P.J.
- MODERATOR John Hassett
- REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GENERAL COURT T. W. Jenkins
- SUPERVISORS OF CHECKLIST
Pauline Harris Frank A. Hulshof
Viril S. Starkey
- BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT
William L. Page, 2 years Eugene W. Morrill, 1 year
Henry Becker, 4 years Newcomb L. Damon, 3 years
Kenneth E. Maxam, 5 years
- PLANNING BOARD
Ralph Margeson, 2 years James B. Sullivan, 1 year
George S. Pitts, 3 years
Ralph S. Frobisher, 4 years



TOWN WARRANT

1962

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Rockingham, ss.

To the inhabitants of the Town of New Castle, in said County of Rockingham, in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said New Castle, on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of March, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To hear the reports of agents, officers, committees, boards and others heretofore chosen and to pass any vote in relation thereto.

2. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing. The polls for the election of town officers will open at ten of the clock, in the forenoon and shall not be closed before six of the clock in the afternoon.

3. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and to make appropriation for the same.

4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to incur temporary loans in anticipation of the taxes for the year 1962, upon the credit of the Town, and issue its notes therefor in accordance with the Municipal Finance Act.

5. To see if the Town will vote to allow a discount to be made to those persons who shall pay their taxes within a reasonable time after they receive notice of the taxes assessed against them and to fix the amount of such discount and the time within which such discount shall be allowed.

6. To see if the Town will vote to participate with the other towns and cities in the area in the advertising, promotional and publicity activities of the New Hampshire Seacoast Regional Development Association as authorized by law and to raise and appropriate the necessary sum of money therefor.

7. To see if the Town will vote to accept Town Road Aid from the State for the construction of town roads and to raise and appropriate the necessary sum of money therefor.

8. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Ordinances and Regulations as follows:

SECTION 1. Eliminate the words Beach or Recreational District and substitute instead Oceanside and Beach District so that Section 1 shall now read as follows:

The town is hereby divided into four areas as shown upon a zoning map dated, 1951, hereby incorporated by reference and made a part hereof.

Such areas shall be designated as: A. Residential District. B. Commercial District. C. Oceanside and Beach District. D. Industrial District.

SECTION II. Eliminate the entire present sub-section C and substitute instead a new sub-section C as follows:

Oceanside and Beach District shall be a further restriction on Residential District wherein Oceanside and Beach District area shall allow only one single family unit with other appurtenances on one acre of land.

SECTION III. On District Boundaries, eliminate the entire present sub-section C concerning boundaries and insert instead the following sub-section C:

For the time being the Oceanside and Beach District is bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the junction of Wentworth Road with the Town Landing and Walbach Street and running in a southeasterly direction by the Town Landing to the Piscataqua Harbor or Atlantic Ocean; thence running southerly by the shoreline of New Castle to the southeast corner of the United States Government Reservation known as Fort Stark at its junction with Little Harbor; thence running in a general westerly and northwesterly direction along the shore of Little Harbor to the southern boundary of Wentworth Road, so called; thence following the southerly boundary of Wentworth Road to the point of beginning.

SECTION IV. On Regulations Governing Districts, eliminate the entire present sub-section B and substitute instead therefor the following sub-section B:

In the Oceanside and Beach District the following regulations shall be in force:

1. The same regulations shall apply as those governing Residential District except there shall be only one single family dwelling with other appurtenances to each acre of land but not applicable to homes presently established or their replacements.

2. These zoning regulations shall apply and be effective over any area owned by the United States Government immediately at the time such area shall no longer be owned by the United

States Government.

9. To see if the Town will vote to demolish and raze the old school and Town Hall building on Cranfield Street and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for this purpose.

10. To see if the Town will vote to sell the land now owned by the Town being the same premises upon which the old school and town hall stands.

11. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Ordinances relating to the collection and disposal of rubbish and garbage as follows:

Amend Paragraph 3 (c) by striking out the present section which reads as follows:

3 (c) garbage shall be placed in separate containers or cans and inserting in its place the following:

3 (c) garbage shall be placed in plastic or metal containers with tight fitting lids in order to prevent access thereto by animals. The lids shall be securely in place whenever the containers are set out for collection.

Amend Paragraph 9 by striking out the present section which reads as follows:

9. The Town collection system will collect the materials above specified on Monday in each week throughout the year and all material to be collected shall be placed on the edge of the highway by the owner thereof not later than 7:30 in the forenoon on such collection day.

and inserting in its place the following:

9. The Town collection system will collect the materials above specified on Monday in each week throughout the year and all material to be collected shall be placed on the edge of the highway by the owner thereof not later than 8:00 in the forenoon on such collection day and not earlier than 6:00 in the afternoon of the day before collection.

12. On petition of Robert G. Kennedy and eleven others, to see if the Town will accept the following streets all as shown on Plan of Bos'n's Hill, New Castle, N. H. dated July 1960, drawn by John W. Durgin, C. E.; the said streets having all been finished to grade and water lines and hydrants installed.

Walton Road from Portsmouth Avenue to Bell Street
Davidson Street from Locke Road to Ritson Street
Locke Road from Walton Road to Bell Street
Ritson Street from Portsmouth Avenue to Davidson Street
Bell Street from Walton Road to Locke Road

13. Should the Town adopt Article 12, then to see if the Town

will vote to accept the water mains laid in said streets, and authorize and empower the Water Commissioners to pay the sum of \$150.00 per connected service thereon whenever said service is first connected.

14. In the event of the adoption of Article 13, to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate out of the water funds of said Town, the sum of \$600.00 representing the amount which would now be due to Bernard and Kenneth Maxam under the provisions of Article 13.

15. To see if the Town will vote to install a street light at or near the residences of Mr. Casso and Mr. Roberge.

16. On petition of Richard Pennewaert and twenty-five others, to see if the Town will vote to declare the swamp that runs from Wentworth Road to Sandy Beach, formerly known as Thomas Walford's Swamp, a public health menace, and to construct an appropriate drain, such as an 8" pipe, from this swamp to Sandy Beach to alleviate such menace and to appropriate the necessary sum of money therefor. (The cost estimate being \$1,000.00)

17. On petition of Alfred K. Woodman and sixteen others to grant permission of discussion and voting on the business of selling Bull Toad's Pond to William Williams.

18. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to file in behalf of the Town an application (in form and manner required by the United States and in conformity with P. L. 560, 83rd Congress) and do whatever else may be required for an advance, in the amount of \$5,000.00, to be made by the United States to the Town of New Castle to aid in defraying the cost of preliminary report and plan preparation for sewerage and sewage treatment facilities for the Town of New Castle.

19. To see if the Town will authorize the construction of a water main from the end of our new 8" line on Portsmouth Avenue to join with the water main of the City of Portsmouth on Pierce Island or at some other point intermediate thereto agreeable to the said City of Portsmouth. (Submitted by the Water Commissioners)

20. Should the Town vote to adopt the provisions of Article 19, then to see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum required for the construction of said water main not to exceed \$75,000.00 and to raise the sum so appropriated by the issuance of serial bonds or notes payable in annual installments over not more than thirty years, in accord with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act of the State of New Hampshire, the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and issue such bonds or notes and to determine the time and place of payment thereof, and the rate of interest thereon as they deem to be in the best interest of the Town. (Requested by the Water Commissioners)

21. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to negotiate the purchase of all or a part of the Camp Langdon Reserva-

tion from the Federal Government as represented by the General Services Administration.

22. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a definite sum of money for the purpose of purchasing all or a part of Camp Langdon.

23. To see if the Town will vote to raise said sum of money appropriated under Article 22 by the issuance of notes or bonds under the terms of the Municipal Finance Act to finance the same, said bonds to be serial bonds to be repaid over a term of not to exceed twenty years, the time and place of payment and rate of interest to be determined by the Selectmen as they shall deem for the best interest of the Town.

24. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following ordinance relating to parking and traffic.

Ordinance Concerning Parking and Traffic

SECTION I. Parking Prohibited.

Parking of vehicles shall be prohibited at all times in the following described streets and locations:

1. Atkinson Street. Both sides from Main Street to Piscataqua Street.
2. Cape Road. Both sides from Oliver Street westerly to the end thereof.
3. Cranfield Street. Both sides, from Piscataqua Street to a point 150 feet northeasterly from its intersection with Main Street.
4. Ocean Street. South side, from Wentworth Road to Hacketts Passway.
5. Piscataqua Street. Both sides, from Becker Lane to Atkinson Street.
6. Piscataqua Street. South side, from Atkinson Street to Cranfield Street.
7. River Road. Both sides, from Cranfield Street westerly 300 feet.
8. River Road. North side, from a point 300 feet westerly from Cranfield Street to a point 200 feet easterly from Oliver Street.
9. River Road. Both sides, from Oliver Street 200 feet easterly.
10. Steamboat Lane. Both sides from Piscataqua Street to Atkinson Street.
11. Walbach Street. Both sides, from Wentworth Road to Main Street.

SECTION II. Speed Regulated. It shall be unlawful to oper-

ate a motor vehicle at a speed greater than twenty miles per hour on the following streets:

Cranfield Street from Piscataqua Street to Main Street.
Ocean Street.
Piscataqua Street.
River Road.
Walbach Street.
Wild Rose Lane.

SECTION III. Interfering with Snow Removal:

It shall be unlawful to park any vehicle on any public street or highway in the Town of New Castle so that said vehicle interferes with snow plowing or snow removal operation of the Town.

SECTION IV. Penalty:

Any person violating any provision of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be liable to a penalty of not more than ten dollars for each offense.

25. To transact such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

KENNETH E. MAXAM,
RALPH S. FROBISHER,
JOHN F. HODGDON,
Selectmen of New Castle.

A True copy of Warrant — Attest:

KENNETH E. MAXAM,
RALPH S. FROBISHER,
JOHN F. HODGDON,
Selectmen of New Castle.



TOWN BUDGET — 1962

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the ensuing year January 1, 1962 to December 31, 1962, compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the previous year January 1, 1961 to December 31, 1961.

● SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Estimated Revenue 1961	Actual Revenue 1961	Estimated Revenue 1962
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$10,000.00	\$10,374.64	\$10,000.00
Savings Bank Tax	500.00	1,021.49	700.00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	200.00	212.77	200.00
Licenses, Permits and Fees	10.00	12.00	10.00
Municipal Court Fines	300.00	409.55	300.00
Rent of Town Hall	50.00	—	50.00
Interest on Taxes and Deposits		26.68	—
Cemetery Lot Sale		300.00	
New Trust Funds		700.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	5,000.00	6,479.64	5,500.00
Cash Surplus	5,000.00		3,797.89
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
Poll Taxes — Regular @ \$2	525.00	646.00	600.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	75.00	69.80	60.00
Total Revenues from All Sources			
Except Property Taxes	\$21,660.00	\$20,252.57	\$21,217.89
Amount to be raised by Prop. Taxes		77,479.50	73,407.11
TOTAL REVENUES			\$94,625.00

● PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

	Appro- priations 1961	Expendi- tures 1961	Estimated Expenditures 1962
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.20	\$3,600.00
Town Officers' Expenses	3,500.00	3,330.59	1,400.00
Election and Registration	200.00	143.20	500.00
Municipal Court	300.00	300.00	300.00
Expenses Town Hall	2,250.00	2,103.09	2,000.00

Employees' Retirement and Social Security	450.00	383.86	450.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	6,800.00	6,902.26	6,800.00
Fire Department	1,785.00	1,351.49	1,000.00
Insurance	1,000.00	908.38	1,000.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	100.00	—	100.00
Health:			
Health Department	800.00	957.18	800.00
Vital Statistics	25.00	22.50	25.00
Dump and Garbage Removal	2,300.00	2,037.05	2,300.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance - Summer	2,500.00	2,749.51	2,500.00
Town Maintenance - Winter	3,000.00	3,597.01	3,000.00
Street Lighting	1,450.00	1,391.79	1,500.00
Town Road Aid	25.00	—	25.00
Libraries:			
Libraries	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	200.00	—	200.00
Old Age Assistance	1,000.00	760.08	750.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day	25.00	15.00	25.00
Recreation:			
Parks and Playgrounds	250.00	174.76	250.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	500.00	1,352.18	500.00
Advertising	100.00	100.00	100.00
Interest:			
On Temporary Loans	150.00	122.50	150.00
On Long Term Notes and Bonds	1,658.00	1,657.50	1,650.00
New Lands and Buildings:			
New Lands and Buildings	2,500.00	—	—
Payment on Principal of Debt:			
Bonds	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Other Divisions of Government:			
County Taxes	5,452.27	5,452.27	5,500.00
School Taxes	53,810.23	45,730.49	55,000.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$96,830.50	\$86,242.99	\$94,625.00



SELECTMEN'S ANNUAL LETTER — 1961

To the Citizens:

In our letter in the 1961 Town Report we mentioned that Camp Langdon might be offered for sale, and suggested that this prospect be given serious thought. The area is now for sale and the Town has sent an application for it to the General Services Administration. We believe that this is the most important problem before the Town at the present time. If the matter is not handled correctly, it could easily result in a 50-100% rise in our tax rate. We strongly urge that the proposed changes in the Zoning Ordinance be adopted.

The Sandy Beach case is in the final stage of settlement. The Town lost the case. However, as a part of the settlement the Rands have agreed to give the Town a permanent easement of access and use of the beach. In view of this, it is the plan of the Selectmen to execute similar agreements with the other beach abutters, thereby providing access and use of the whole of Sandy Beach. Anyone interested in reading the full details of the decision will find copies of the Master's Report in the Town Library.

Regarding mosquito control, we joined the S. E. Mosquito Control Committee and received the benefit of professional advice from their qualified entomologists. Inspections and surveys were made of the towns in the area, including New Castle. We followed the recommendations and made weekly checks of all known mosquito breeding areas in the Town. During the season the hatches in the Town were negligible except for the salt water marsh along Lavenger's creek in the center of the island and a couple of hatches in Bull Toads pond. Each time that larvae were found in these areas they were promptly sprayed with oil.

Upon the entomologist's advice we purchased a fogging machine and this seemed to be fairly effective for the first part of the season. The U. S. Department of Agriculture makes weekly checks of mosquito hatches in various areas and in the latter part of the season they reported that due to wet and steamy weather the hatch in this general area was 10 times normal.

The entomologist pointed out that New Castle's problem was not with home grown mosquitoes but with "foreigners" which could easily fly in from as far away as ten miles from the many hundreds of acres

of marshland within their range. Mosquito control cannot be a local project to be effective but requires concerned effort over large areas. We welcome constructive suggestions.

Respectfully submitted,

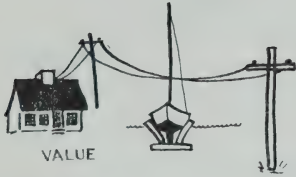
KENNETH E. MAXAM,
RALPH S. FROBISHER,
JOHN F. HODGDON,

Selectmen.

It now looks as though the taxpayer will be the first of America's natural resources to be completely exhausted — lifted from the Reader's Digest.

On the other side of the ledger is this:

Someone asked Oliver Wendell Holmes if he objected to paying taxes. He replied, "Absolutely not, that is how I buy my civilization."



SUMMARY STATEMENTS

of
 • Inventory
 • Appropriations for 1961
 • Taxes Assessed

● INVENTORY OF NON-TAXABLE PROPERTY

Schedule of Town Property

Town Hall (and land)	\$15,000.00
Equipment	1,500.00
Library (and land)	5,000.00
Equipment	1,500.00
Police Dept. Equipment	1,000.00
Fire Station (and land)	2,500.00
Equipment	6,500.00
Parks and Commons	4,800.00
Water System	25,000.00
Public School (and land)	25,000.00
Equipment	500.00

\$88,300.00

Schedule of Tax-Exempt Property

FEDERAL and STATE:

Ft. Constitution	\$30,000.00
Camp Langdon	60,000.00
Fort Stark	6,000.00

RELIGIOUS:

Congregational Church	25,000.00
Minister's Residence	4,000.00

\$125,000.00

TOTAL NON-TAXABLE PROPERTY \$213,300.00

● INVENTORY OF TAXABLE PROPERTY

NUMBER OF INVENTORIES DISTRIBUTED	341
NUMBER OF INVENTORIES RETURNED	272

Summary of Inventory

355 Lands and Buildings	\$1,859,350.00
1 Electric Utility	27,300.00
6 Stock in Trade	4,650.00
25 Boats	27,000.00

2	Gasoline Pumps	1,200.00
	TOTAL GROSS VALUATION	\$1,919,500.00
	Less:	
	75 Veterans' Exemptions	74,750.00
	NET VALUATION ON	
	WHICH TAX RATE IS COMPUTED	\$1,844,750.00

● **SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATIONS**

1961 Town Appropriations

Town Appropriations	\$37,568.00
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1961 County Appropriations

County Appropriations	5,452.27
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1961-1962 School Appropriations

School Appropriations	\$61,899.31
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Less:

Federal Aid	\$3,513.24
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State Aid	600.00
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Cash Surplus	3,975.84
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\$8,089.08

NET SCHOOL APPROPRIATIONS	\$53,810.23
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TOTAL NET TOWN, COUNTY, AND SCHOOL APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1961 TAX YEAR	\$96,830.50
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Deductions:

Estimated Revenue	\$22,148.29
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Poll Taxes	676.00
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Bank Stock Taxes	78.20
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\$22,902.49

\$73,928.01

Add: Overlay

Overlay	3,551.49
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AMOUNT RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES	\$77,479.50
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● **SUMMARY OF TAXES ASSESSED**

Net Assessed Valuation

Net Assessed Valuation	\$1,844,750.00
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1961 Tax Rate Per Hundred

1961 Tax Rate per Hundred 4.20

TOTAL PROPERTY TAXES \$77,479.50

Taxes Committed to Collector

Property Taxes \$77,479.50

Poll Taxes 676.00

Bank Stock Taxes 78.20

TOTAL TAXES COMMITTED

TO COLLECTOR, 1961 \$78,233.70

Respectfully submitted,

KENNETH E. MAXAM,
RALPH S. FROBISHER,
JOHN F. HODGDON,

Selectmen.

February 14, 1962



COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES 1961

Title of Appropriation	Appropriations	*Receipts and Reimbursements	Total Amount Available	Expendi- tures	Unex- pended Balances	Over- drafts
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,500.00	—	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,500.20	—	.20
Town Officers' Expenses	3,500.00	182.00	3,682.00	3,330.59	351.41	—
Elections and Registration	200.00	—	200.00	143.20	56.80	—
Town Hall Expenses	2,250.00	—	2,250.00	2,103.09	146.91	—
Municipal Court Expenses	300.00	—	300.00	300.00	—	—
Police Department	6,800.00	—	6,800.00	6,902.36	—	102.36
Fire Department	1,785.00	—	1,785.00	1,351.49	433.51	—
Insurance	1,000.00	—	1,000.00	908.38	91.62	—
Health Department	800.00	—	800.00	957.18	—	157.18
Dump and Garbage	2,300.00	—	2,300.00	2,037.05	262.95	—
Highways — Summer Maint.	2,500.00	—	2,500.00	2,749.51	—	249.51
Highway — Winter Maint.	3,000.00	—	3,000.00	3,597.01	—	597.01
Street Lights	1,450.00	—	1,450.00	1,391.79	58.21	—
Town Road Aid	25.00	—	25.00	—	25.00	—
Public Library	1,200.00	—	1,200.00	1,200.00	—	—
Town Poor	200.00	—	200.00	—	200.00	—
Old Age Assistance	1,000.00	—	1,000.00	760.08	239.92	—
Memorial Day	25.00	—	25.00	15.00	10.00	—
Recreation	250.00	—	250.00	174.76	75.24	—
Cemeteries	500.00	1,410.50	1,910.50	1,352.18	558.32	—
Legal Expense	100.00	—	100.00	—	100.00	—
Advertising	100.00	—	100.00	100.00	—	—
Vital Statistics	25.00	—	25.00	22.50	2.50	—

Interest	150.00	—	150.00	122.50	27.50
Interest on Bonds	1,658.00	—	1,658.00	1,657.50	.50
Water Bonds	2,000.00	—	2,000.00	2,000.00	—
New Land and Buildings	2,500.00	—	2,500.00	—	2,500.00
Retirement & Soc. Sec. Taxes	450.00	—	450.00	383.86	66.14
County Tax	5,452.27	—	5,452.27	5,452.27	—
School District					
1960-1961 Appropriation	20,730.49	—	20,730.49	20,730.49	—
School District					
1961-1962 Appropriation	53,810.23	—	53,810.23	25,000.00	28,810.23
TOTALS	\$117,560.99	\$1,592.50	\$119,153.49	\$86,242.99	\$34,016.76
					1,106.26
					\$32,910.50

● RECONCILIATION:

TOTAL EXPENDITURES
PLUS UNEXPENDED BALANCE

LESS OVERDRAFTS

EQUALS TOTAL AMOUNT AVAILABLE

* Receipts and reimbursements, added to appropriations, include such items as the 10% discount allowed to the town on head taxes, new cemetery trust funds received, etc. These items were not in the budget, neither did they enter into the tax rate calculation as estimated revenue. Consequently, such funds can be definitely credited to appropriations.

Respectfully submitted,

KENNETH E. MAXAM,
RALPH S. FROBISHER,
JOHN F. HODGDON,

Selectmen.

FINANCIAL REPORT 1961

Assets, Liabilities, Receipts and Payments
for the year ending December 31, 1961



● CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in the following reports was taken from official records, and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

FRANK A. HULSHOF,
Treasurer.

KENNETH E. MAXAM,
RALPH S. FROBISHER,
JOHN F. HODGDON,

February 14, 1962

Selectmen.

● BALANCE SHEET

Assets

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$36,296.04
Cash in hands of Tax Collector	1,949.50
ACCOUNTS DUE THE TOWN:	
Town Poor Reimbursement	1,218.77
Sale of Cemetery Lot	125.00
UNCOLLECTED TAXES:	
Levy of 1961	1,111.50
Levy of 1960	116.60
State Head Taxes — Levy of 1961	395.00

TOTAL ASSETS	\$41,345.28
Excess of liabilities over assets (Net Debt)	34,202.11

GRAND TOTAL	\$75,547.39
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Liabilities

Bills Outstanding	\$842.16
Town Hall Vault	2,500.00
Due State — Head Taxes, 1961	395.00
Due School District	
Balance of Appropriation	28,810.23
Outstanding Temporary Loans	
In Anticipation of Taxes	5,000.00
Bonds Outstanding — Water Bond	38,000.00

TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$75,547.39
Net Debt — Surplus, December 31, 1960	34,807.83
Net Debt — Surplus, December 31, 1961	34,202.11
Decrease of Debt, of Surplus	605.72



TOWN TREASURER'S RECEIPTS — 1961

● FROM THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES

1959 Property	\$477.00	
1960 Property Taxes	4,018.22	
1961 Property Taxes	72,038.37	
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		\$76,533.59
1951+ Poll Taxes	16.00	
1959 Poll Taxes	22.00	
1960 Poll Taxes	104.00	
1961 Poll Taxes	504.00	
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		646.00
1960 Head Taxes	220.00	
1961 Head Taxes	1,600.00	
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		1,820.00
1960-1961 Interest	26.68	
		26.68

● FROM THE TOWN CLERK

1961 Motor Vehicle Fees	6,479.64	
1961 Dog Licenses	212.77	
1961 Filing Fees	8.00	
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		6,700.41

● FROM THE STATE TREASURER

Interest and Dividends Tax	10,374.64	
Savings Bank Tax	1,021.49	
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		11,396.13

● MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS

Temporary Bank Loans	15,000.00
National Bank Stock	69.80
Reimbursement Cemetery Care	410.50
New Cemetery Trust Funds	700.00
Cemetery Lot Sale	300.00
Municipal Court Fines	409.55
Social Security Reimbursement	21.54
Pistol Permit	4.00

Miscellaneous	23.00	
		16,938.39

● **REFUNDS**

Sears Roebuck	1.73	1.73
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TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM ALL SOURCES		\$114,062.93
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● **CASH RECONCILIATION**

Treasurer's Cash Balance	
December 31, 1960	\$20,262.19
Total Cash Receipts for 1961	114,062.93

TOTAL TO BE ACCOUNTED FOR	\$134,325.12
Selectmen's Vouchers Paid	98,029.08

TREASURER'S CASH BALANCE,	
December 31, 1961	\$36,296.04

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK A. HULSHOF, Treasurer.

● **AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE**

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INGEBORG M. ALMGREN,

Auditor.

● **WATER BOND ACCOUNT 1961**

Receipts

Cash on hand December 31, 1960	\$243.29
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This amount turned back to the New Castle Water Department by order of town meeting vote, March 1961.

Payments

May 1, 1961 — Principal	\$2,000.00
May 1, 1961 — Interest	850.00
November 1, 1961 — Interest	809.50
Amount due on Water Bonds as of	
December 31, 1961	\$38,000.00

A principal payment of \$2,000.00 plus accrued interest is due each year up to and including 1980.

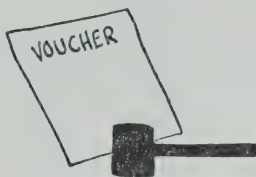
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SELECTMEN'S PAYMENTS — 1961

● TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Kenneth E. Maxam	\$ 194.00
Ralph S. Frobisher	240.00
John F. Hodgdon	153.00
Dorothy S. Becker	485.00
Frank A. Hulshof	194.00
Eugene Morrill	50.00
Stanley W. Pridham	40.40
Richard Tabbutt	97.00
Frank A. Hulshof	14.55
Viril S. Starkey	9.70
Pauline Harris	9.70
George A. Patten	9.70

\$1,500.20

● TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Dorothy S. Becker, fees	\$ 217.00
Wheeler & Clark, dog tags	14.56
N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co.	65.25
N. H. Association of Assessors	3.00
State Office Supply Co., files	5.20
C. B. Hoyt & Co., supplies	5.63
E. S. Meloon, stamps	66.25
Dorothy S. Becker, stamps	1.00
William Priestley, commissions	1,986.47
Steven Keith	2.00
Frederick Coyle	2.00
John LaRose	2.00
Gregg Newton	2.00
Strawberry Bank Print Shop, (Town Reports)	485.00
Trafton Agency, Bonds	134.40
Register of Probate	.70
N. H. Association of Town Clerks	3.00
Frank A. Hulshof, mileage	2.80
Dorothy S. Becker, telephone calls	3.20
N. H. Tax Collectors' Association	3.00
Post Office Box Rent	2.80
Shaw Walker Co., clerks' files	125.00

Kenneth E. Maxam, head tax fees	59.10
Brown & Saltmarsh Co., supplies	21.77
Portsmouth Trust Co., box rent	4.40
Kenneth E. Maxam, expenses	8.00
Branham Publishing Co., (motor vehicle books)	7.00
Wentworth Hotel	25.00
Sam Blaisdell & Son, printing	13.25
Ralph S. Frobisher, expenses	14.71
Portsmouth Savings Bank, box rent	5.50
Randall Press Co., tax bills	26.00
Register of Deeds	12.80

\$3,330.59

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Elizabeth Priestley	10.00
Lucille LaRose	10.00
Leslie Sargent	10.00
V. S. Starkey	10.00
Pauline Harris	10.00
Frank A. Hulshof	10.00
John Hassett, Jr.	20.00
New Castle Church Guild, supper	25.00
Samuel Blaisdell & Son, ballots	27.25
Chauncey B. Hoyt & Co.	.95

\$143.20

● TOWN HALL EXPENSES

Beatrice Talbot, janitor	\$ 349.20
New Hampshire Electric Co.	187.92
A. P. Tibbetts Co., oil	781.02
Sears, Roebuck & Co., adding machines	302.65
Shapleigh's Store, supplies	10.26
Warren White, labor	23.75
W. S. Jackson Co., supplies	3.88
St. Johnsbury Trucking Co.	4.57
C. I. Scammon, electrical repairs	133.87
Harlan Talbot, labor	55.97
Margeson's, Inc., new chairs	250.00

\$2,103.09

● MUNICIPAL COURT

William F. Harrington, salary	250.00
William F. Harrington, expenses	50.00

\$300.00

● **POLICE DEPARTMENT**

Henry Greenberg, salary	\$4,800.00
Henry Greenberg, use of car	1,000.00
N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co.	164.61
Walter S. Dockham, special duty	97.00
Montgomery Ward, battery charger	19.00
American Safety Co., plates	28.26
Baker-Wright Co., tests	1.00
Chauncey B. Hoyt & Co., supplies	7.08
Robert Hollis, special duty	310.40
Perkins, special duty	48.50
Dr. Wendell Clare, M. D., blood test	10.00
Portsmouth Police Relief Association	100.00
Leo Wheeler, special duty	19.40
A. Gorshel, special duty	48.50
Henry Greenberg, expenses, F.B.I. school	45.00
M. Linskey & Sons, uniforms	100.00
Diamond Police Equipment Co.	20.65
Henry Greenberg, supplies	40.05
Roland Ripley, radio repairs	42.91

\$6,902.36

● **FIRE DEPARTMENT**

N. H. Electric Co.	\$ 24.35
N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co.	115.35
A. P. Tibbetts Co., oil	217.02
Interstate Emergency Unit, dues	7.00
Thomas Webb, salary and maintenance	339.50
A. P. Tibbetts, battery	22.66
L. L. Peavey Co., light battery	2.75
L. L. Peavey Co., materials	10.00
Robert Jones, labor	14.40
American Fire Equipment Co.	59.36
C. I. Scammon, wiring	39.10
Washburn Heating, heater	400.00
Portsmouth Firemen's Relief Asso.	100.00

\$1,351.49

● **INSURANCE**

DeCourcy Agency	\$ 432.40
Trafton Agency	334.73
John Sise Agency	141.25

\$908.38

● **HEALTH DEPARTMENT**

S. E. Mosquito Control Dist.	\$ 82.25
Goodwin Feed Co., sprayers	23.30
Richard Tabbutt, truck hire	203.46
Harvey Rogers, labor	66.08
Whitman Insect Control Co.	544.50
(Fog mach. and insecticide)	
A. P. Tibbetts, oil	37.59

\$957.18

● **DUMP AND GARBAGE REMOVAL**

A. J. Keefe, contract	\$ 487.05
City of Portsmouth, use of dump	500.00
A. J. Savageau, contract	1,050.00

\$2,037.05

● **HIGHWAYS — SUMMER MAINTENANCE**

Richard Tabbutt, truck hire	\$1,115.82
Trafton Welding Shop, sign repairs	7.50
Clark Sign Co., sign repainting	30.00
Harvey Rogers, labor	493.43
Iafolla Crushed Stone Co., patching	190.31
Thomas Webb, labor	5.82
Sargent-Lovell Co., street signs	99.17
A. P. Tibbetts, supplies	80.23
Judson Spaulding, labor	132.76
Trimount Bituminous Co., road oil	346.96
L. L. Peavey Co., trash bbls.	29.56
R. Hazelton, drain pipe	57.92
H. Johnson, labor	13.09
Goodwin Feed Co., salt	13.25
Faltin Trucking Co.	3.44
Robert Jones, steps	121.87

\$2,749.51

● **HIGHWAYS — WINTER MAINTENANCE**

Goodwin Feed Co., salt	\$ 104.35
R. Tabbutt, truck and tractor hire	2,680.70
H. Rogers, labor	258.99
M. Pridham, labor	61.11
J. Spaulding, labor	79.30
R. Tabbutt, labor	13.33
B. Ricker, labor	27.65
A. Hutchinson, labor	11.64
Gerard Amazeen, tractor hire	81.00

Iafolla Crushed Stone Co., cold patch	9.30	
Foster Jones, labor	11.64	
R. Tabbutt, sand	180.00	
G. Glidden, tractor hire	78.00	
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		\$3,597.01
● STREET LIGHTING		
N. H. Electric Co.		\$1,391.79
● PUBLIC LIBRARY		
Margaret R. Frobisher, trustee		\$1,200.00
● CEMETERIES		
W. Hayden, supplies	\$ 3.20	
W. Hayden, Trust Funds	700.00	
J. Spaulding, labor	323.11	
H. Johnson, labor	259.09	
R. Tabbutt, loam	13.50	
Sibson Memorial Co., repairing stones	30.00	
H. Rogers, labor	23.28	
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		\$1,352.18
● PUBLIC WELFARE		
Old Age Assistance:		
State of New Hampshire		\$ 760.08
● MEMORIAL DAY		
Central Veterans Council		\$ 15.00
● PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS		
R. Tabbutt, tractor hire	\$ 43.85	
C. I. Scammon, light	72.04	
N. H. Electric Co.	22.50	
H. Rogers, labor	14.55	
J. Spaulding, labor	21.82	
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		\$ 174.76
● UNCLASSIFIED PAYMENTS		
Seacoast Regional Development Asso.	\$ 100.00	
Vital Statistics, Dorothy S. Becker	22.50	
Refunds:		
William Priestley, repay refund	\$ 77.12	
Albert Hutchinson, Car tax	6.93	

Everett Leonard, car tax	6.91
H. Greenberg, tax refund	50.63
Social Security Taxes	167.86
Police Retirement Fund	216.00

\$ 383.86

● **INDEBTEDNESS**

Tax Anticipation Loan	\$10,000.00
Interest on loan	122.56
Principal on Water Bonds	2,000.06
Interest on Water Bonds	1,657.56

● **OTHER DIVISIONS OF GOVERNMENT**

State Treasurer, head taxes	\$1,644.50
County Treasurer, County tax	5,452.27
New Castle School District	45,730.49

NET GRAND TOTAL PAYMENT
FOR ALL PURPOSES

\$98,029.08

● **CASH RECONCILIATION**

TOTAL PAYMENTS — ABOVE	\$98,029.08
TREASURER'S CASH BALANCE	
December 31, 1961	36,296.04

TOTAL (See Treasurer's Report)

\$134,325.12

● **AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE**

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INGEBORG M. ALMGREN,
Auditor.



TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT — 1961

● 1961 PROPERTY, POLL AND BANK STOCK TAXES

Summary of Warrant

DEBITS

TAXES COMMITTED TO COLLECTOR

Property Taxes	\$77,284.20
Poll Taxes	676.00
Bank Stock Taxes	69.80

TOTAL WARRANT	\$78,030.00
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ADDED TAXES

Stock In Trade	\$195.30
Poll Taxes	12.00
Property Taxes	42.00
Interest Collected	6.80

TOTAL ADDED TAXES	256.10
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TOTAL DEBITS	\$78,286.10
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CREDITS

REMITTANCES TO TREASURER

Property Taxes	\$72,038.37
Poll Taxes	504.00
Bank Stock Taxes	69.80

TOTAL PAID TREASURER	\$72,612.17
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DISCOUNT ALLOWED	2,133.63
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ABATEMENTS	479.30
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UNCOLLECTED TAXES AS PER LIST

Property Taxes	\$1,081.50
Poll Taxes	30.00

TOTAL UNCOLLECTED TAXES	\$1,111.50
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CASH ON HAND DECEMBER 31, 1961

Property Taxes	\$1,862.70
Poll Taxes	80.00

Interest on 1961 Taxes	6.80
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TOTAL CASH ON HAND 1961 TAXES	\$1,949.50
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TOTAL CREDITS	\$78,286.10
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● 1960 PROPERTY, POLL AND BANK STOCK TAXES

Summary of Warrant

DEBITS

UNCOLLECTED TAXES AS OF JANUARY 1, 1961

1960 Property Taxes	\$577.70
1960 Poll Taxes	20.00
1959 Property Taxes	108.00

TOTAL WARRANT	\$705.70
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ADDED TAXES

1960 Poll Taxes	\$ 2.00
1960 Interest	12.34
1959 Interest	7.56

TOTAL ADDED TAXES	21.90
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TOTAL DEBITS	\$727.60
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CREDITS

REMITTANCES TO TREASURER

1960 Property Taxes	\$461.10
1960 Poll Taxes	12.00
1960 Interest	12.34
1959 Property Taxes	108.00
1959 Interest	7.56

TOTAL PAID TREASURER	\$601.00
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ABATEMENTS MADE DURING YEAR	10.00
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UNCOLLECTED PROPERTY TAX OF 1960	116.60
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TOTAL CREDITS	\$727.60
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● UNCOLLECTED TAXES

1961 Delinquent Property Taxpayers

G. Milton Avery	\$132.30
Frank Bennett	157.50
Jeanette Carr	63.00
Estate of Evelyn Clark	138.60

Ruth Conrad	90.30	
Joseph Frisbee	147.00	
Stanley Gilkey	189.00	
H. and H. Oil Co.	25.20	
Haven Johnson	6.30	
Haven Johnson	31.50	
Haven Johnson	18.90	
Simon Levine	31.50	
Morris Pridham	37.80	
Martin Quirk	12.50	
TOTAL		\$1,081.50

1961 Delinquent Poll Taxpayers

Sylvia Batchelder	\$2.00	
Doris Boucher	2.00	
Peter Becker	2.00	
Sylvia Becker	2.00	
Arturo Cortina	2.00	
Francis Dwyer	2.00	
Eleanor Frisbee	2.00	
Edmund Langley	2.00	
Alice Langley	2.00	
Mrs. Richard Lantz	2.00	
Jerry D. Neiswanger	2.00	
Theresa Parrish	2.00	
Lyndon Ricker	2.00	
Leona Redfield	2.00	
Joy Straw	2.00	
TOTAL		\$30.00

TOTAL UNCOLLECTED TAXES	\$1,111.50
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● REPORT OF CASH, PRIOR YEARS

Cash on hand January 1, 1961		
1960 Property Taxes	\$3,557.12	
1960 Poll Taxes	92.00	
1960 Interest on Taxes	2.32	
1959 Property Taxes	369.00	
1959 Poll Taxes	22.00	
1959 Interest on Taxes	4.46	
Poll Taxes (Prior Years)	16.00	
TOTAL		\$4,062.90
PAID TO TOWN TREASURER, MARCH 3, 1961		\$4,062.90

I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1961 on account of the levy of 1961 is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WILLIAM PRIESTLEY,

Collector of Taxes.

● **AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE**

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

INGEBORG M. ALMGREN,

Auditor.

February 8, 1962

● **1961 STATE HEAD TAXES**

Summary of Warrant

DEBITS

HEAD TAXES COMMITTED TO COLLECTOR

Original Warrant	\$1,970.00
Added Taxes	25.00

TOTAL COMMITMENT	\$1,995.00
PENALTIES COLLECTED	none

TOTAL DEBITS	\$1,995.00
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CREDITS

REMITTANCES TO TREASURER

Head Taxes Collected	\$1,600.00
Penalties	none

TOTAL PAID TREASURER	\$1,600.00
ABATEMENTS	none

UNCOLLECTED TAXES AS PER LIST	395.00
TOTAL CREDITS	\$1,995.00

● **1960 STATE HEAD TAXES**

Summary of Warrant

DEBITS

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1961	\$300.00
Added Taxes during 1961	20.00
Penalties collected during 1961	20.00

TOTAL DEBITS	\$340.00
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CREDITS

Remittances to Treasurer during 1961

Head Taxes	\$200.00
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Penalties	20.00
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TOTAL PAID TREASURER

\$220.00

Abatements during 1961

120.00

Uncollected Head Taxes

none

TOTAL CREDITS

\$340.00

I hereby certify that the above report of Head Tax Warrants for the years 1961 and 1960 is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WILLIAM PRIESTLEY,

Collector of Taxes.

● AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

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INGEBORG M. ALMGREN,

Auditor.

February 8, 1962



TOWN CLERK'S REPORT — 1961

● CASH RECEIPTS

Motor Vehicle Permits	\$6,612.51	
Dog Licenses	232.17	
Filing Fees	8.00	
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TOTAL RECEIPTS		\$6,852.68
Less:		
Clerk's Fees — Dog Tags		19.40
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		\$6,833.28

● PAYMENTS TO TREASURER

Motor Vehicle Permits	\$6,479.64	
Dog Licenses	212.77	
Filing Fees	8.00	
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TOTAL PAYMENTS		\$6,700.41
Cash on hand December 31, 1961		132.87
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		\$6,833.28

DOROTHY S. BECKER,
Town Clerk.

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January 19, 1962

INGEBORG M. ALMGREN,
Auditor.



BIRTHS — 1961

Registered in the Town of New Castle, New Hampshire

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Male or Fem.	No. of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birth-place of Father	Birth-place of Mother
Feb. 1	Portsmouth	Barbara Jean	F	1	Alfred W. Vanelli	Dorothy E. Lovelace	Mass.	Mass.
Mar. 19	Portsmouth	John Marlin, Jr.	M	1	John N. King	Jacqueline D. DeSilva	Hawaii	Hawaii
Mar. 23	Portsmouth	Elizabeth Caroline	F	2	Jack B. Beard	Alice R. Cummings	Tenn.	Tenn.
Apr. 27	Portsmouth	Suzanne Marie	F	2	Edward G. Bauer	Estelle Misiaszek	N. Y.	N. Y.
Apr. 28	Portsmouth	Julie Ann	F	1	James H. Campbell	Cheryl L. Brissette	N. H.	N. Y.
Apr. 28	Portsmouth	Marilyn Elizabeth	F	6	Eldred V. Straw	Joy Eldredge	Mass.	Mass.
Apr. 29	Portsmouth	John Warren	M	2	Warren M. Bosworth, Jr.	Barbara A. Bedard	R. I.	R. I.
Apr. 29	Portsmouth	Paul Donald	M	3	Paul F. Perry	Mary E. MacLeod	N. H.	Maine
May 19	Kittery	Nicole Andrea	F	2	Dal J. Darracq	Pamela J. Bush	Calif.	Calif.
Oct. 3	Kittery	Aaron Charles	M	1	Arturo F. Cortina	Carol A. Langley	Mexico	Mass.
Oct. 4	Portsmouth	Donald Scott	M	1	David A. Dorow	Patricia A. Thompson	Mich.	N. H.
Oct. 18	Portsmouth	Kathleen	F	1	John W. Toner	Claire R. McGovern	N. H.	Conn.
Nov. 5	Portsmouth	Susan Jean	F	2	Thomas W. Golder	Theresa A. Clark	N. H.	Maine
Nov. 11	Exeter	William Mason, III	M	2	William M. Bailey, Jr.	Mary A. Williford	N. Y.	Illinois
Dec. 4	Portsmouth	John Gregory	M	2	Michael A. Kuchtey	Barbara A. Gray	N. H.	N. H.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.
DOROTHY S. BECKER, Town Clerk.



MARRIAGES — 1961

Registered in the Town of New Castle, New Hampshire

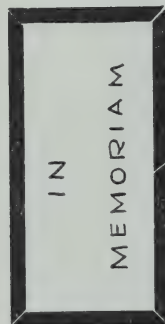
Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Age	Place of Birth	Name of Parents	Condition	Name, Residence and By Whom Married
Jan. 28	Portsmouth	Chester James Fessenden Nancy Marie Andrews	23 21	Mass. N. H.	Chester J. Fessenden Isabelle Sloan True J. Andrews Mary E. Day	1st 1st	T. J. McDonough, Catholic Priest, Portsmouth, N. H.
Apr. 8	Portsmouth	William Harvey Murr Janet Neal Champagne	20 20	Canada Mass.	Harvey Harold Murr Rose Catherine Powell Earl E. Champagne Marion O. Gilkey	1st 1st	James F. Happy, Catholic Priest, Portsmouth, N. H.
June 17	Portsmouth	Richard — Thorp Janice Loretta Barnes	22 21	Maine Vermont	John C. Thorp Priscilla Alden Dwight F. Barnes Aubrey Gilcrest	1st 1st	J. N. Feaster, Clergyman Portsmouth, N. H.
July 4	New Castle	Robert Jaffrey Pickett Annegret Ruth Niehaus	31 30	N. H. Germany	Charles W. Pickett Gertrude E. Maertins Alfred — Niehaus Elfriede W. Weiss	1st 1st	Charles T. Webb, Clergyman Portsmouth, N. H.
Aug. 5	Boston	William Garvin Drew, II Linda Ann Florian	24 22	Calif. Mass.	Garvin A. Drew Lillian B. Jones Kenneth A. Florian Rosemary L. Moor	1st 1st	T. Jerome Hayden, Jr., Clergyman Boston, Mass.

Marrages Registered in the Town of New Castle, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1961

Aug. 26	Hampstead	Paul Gerard Amazeen Caroline Jane Ells	22 18	N. H. Mass.	Gerard B. Amazeen Elsie L. Jones Warren H. Ells Alice M. Tillson Samuel Gallant Mary Goodey George Joaquin Maria Malent Charles W. Humphreys	1st Theodore B. Hadley, 1st Clergyman Hampstead, N. H.
Sept. 23	Portsmouth	Alfred Joseph Gallant Jane — Joaquin	59 51	Canada Penn.	Lydia A. Shannon Clarence C. Hall Ella M. Moody Harold F. Ward Theresa — McGlynn Clifford C. Tabbutt Arlene R. Ricker Archibald A. Haywood Laura I. Hebbard Levi — Bevans Eleanor — Birney	2nd James P. Healy, 1st Justice of the Peace, Portsmouth, N. H.
Sept. 23	New Castle	Cecil Charles Humphreys Lois Alba Davis	57 45	N. H. Maine		2nd Wayne J. Mullavey, 3rd Justice of the Peace, New Castle, N. H.
Sept. 23	New Castle	Harold Francis Ward, Jr. Judith Estelle Tabbutt	22 21	Mass. N. H.		1st A. W. Greeley, 1st Clergyman New Castle, N. H.
Oct. 21	Portsmouth	Nathaniel H. Haywood Mildred Bevans Gaudet	50 51	Conn. Conn.		2nd John N. Feaster, 3rd Clergyman, Portsmouth, N. H.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DOROTHY S. BECKER, Town Clerk



DEATHS — 1961

Registered in the Town of New Castle, New Hampshire

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age	Place of Birth	Male/Female	Conditions	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Apr. 14	New Castle	Arnold Henry Griffin	48	N. H.	M	M	William Griffin	C. Adeline Hughes
May 27	Portsmouth	Mary A. Hapner	68	N. H.	F	M	John L. Tredick	Julia A. Ford
May 30	New Castle	Roger Bliss Thurber	55	Mass.	M	M	Clinton D. Thurber	Winifred Russell
June 12	No. Hampton	Eva Mahala Guptill	67	Mass.	F	M	George Manson	Lillian Furbush
June 13	New Castle	Catherine Nugent Harris	71	Nfld.	F	W	Michael Nugent	Mary Keough
June 20	No. Hampton	Helen M. Morton	80	Mass.	F	W	Hezekiah Cook	Hattie E. Pierce
Aug. 20	York, Me.	Mercie Clay	66	Mass.	F	W	Edmund C. Tarbell	Emiline Souther
Aug. 27	Portsmouth	Arthur Edgar Reynolds	79	Mass.	M	M	Edward P. Reynolds	Emily Arnold
Oct. 16	Portsmouth	Annie F. T. Schurman	85	N. H.	F	W	David Badger	Nancy Campbell
Nov. 8	Portsmouth	Josephine Inez Drew	80	Mass.	F	M	Robert Aldrich	Lizzie Lang
Nov. 20	Portsmouth	William Haywood Barker	47	Wash.	M	M	Quentin J. Barker	Gladys Haywood
Dec. 24	Wells, Me.	Myrtis Becker Remick	71	N. H.	F	W	Forest Becker	Elizabeth Emery

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DOROTHY S. BECKER, Town Clerk.



WATER COMMISSIONER'S REPORT — 1961

● BALANCE SHEET AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1961

Assets

Cash in checking account	\$1,634.73	
Cash — Piscataqua Savings Bank	951.52	
Cash — Portsmouth Savings Bank	877.88	
TOTAL CASH ON HAND		\$3,464.13
Meters, pipe and fittings (new)		300.00
TOTAL QUICK ASSETS		\$3,764.13
Equipment and Tools	\$1,220.00	
Water Mains and Meters	50,934.75	
New Capital Outlay — 1961	1,718.44	
TOTAL CAPITAL ASSETS		\$53,873.19
TOTAL ASSETS		\$57,637.32
Liabilities	(none)	
NET WORTH		\$57,637.32

● OPERATING STATEMENT

Receipts

Water and Service — 1961	\$5,083.48	
Water and Service — prior years	249.34	
Interest on Savings Accounts	62.35	
TOTAL CASH RECEIPTS		\$5,395.17
Cash on hand December 31, 1960		
Checking Account	\$1,984.36	
Savings Account	1,767.05	
		\$3,751.41
TOTAL		\$9,146.58

Expenditures

PURCHASE OF WATER	
City of Portsmouth, N. H.	\$1,987.38

EXPENSES OF OPERATION

Commissioner's Salary	\$105.00
Clerk's Salary	99.96
Bond	5.00
Service Charges	362.65
Water Supplies	480.47
Plant Maintenance	98.50
Office Expenses	84.10
Work on System	143.00
Repair to Home Services	81.50
Repair to Meters	39.00
Service to Hydrants	113.50
Meetings at Concord	35.00
Hersey Mfg. Company	192.50
Hilco Supply Company	136.45

TOTAL EXPENSES	\$1,976.63
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● CAPITAL OUTLAY

Three (3) new hydrants, each valved one on Wild Rose Lane, one on the corner of Tarlton Road and Wentworth Road, and one on Locke Road

\$1,718.44

TOTAL EXPENDITURES

\$5,682.45

Cash on hand December 31, 1961

Checking Account	\$1,634.73
Savings Account	1,829.40

\$3,464.13

TOTAL

\$9,146.58

● PROFIT (OR LOSS) STATEMENT — 1961

CASH RECEIPTS	\$5,395.17
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Add: Unpaid bills, Jan. 1, 1962	402.91
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\$5,798.08

Deduct: Unpaid bills

January 1, 1961	505.64
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Net Water Department Sales	\$5,292.44
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DEDUCTIONS

Cost of Water	1,987.38
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\$3,305.06

Operating Expenses	1,976.63
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	\$1,328.43
Capital Outlay as shown for 1961	1,718.44
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NET LOSS FOR 1961	\$390.01

To the Selectmen and Water Commissioners:

The above is a correct statement of my account for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1961.

WILLIAM PRIESTLEY,
Clerk and Treasurer.
HARLAN M. TALBOT,
WARREN M. WHITE,
WILLIAM PRIESTLEY,
Water Commissioners.

● AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

INGEBORG M. ALMGREN,
Auditor.

February 8, 1962

Trust



REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS 1960

• LIBRARY TRUST FUNDS

Date Created	Name of Fund	Amount of Principal	Income at Beginning of year	1960 Income	1960 Expended	Balance of Income
1928	Elizabeth T. C. Rand	\$5,000.00	0.00	176.52	176.52	0.00

• CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Date Created	Name of Fund	Amount of Principal	Income at Beginning of year	1960 Income	1960 Expended	Balance of Income
1900	Jane P. Tarlton	200.00	105.63	10.77	7.00	109.40
1921	Edward B. Baker	150.00	10.69	5.65	4.00	12.34
1922	Clara A. Way	150.00	25.56	6.18	4.00	27.74
1922	Mary A. White	200.00	33.72	8.23	6.00	35.95
1923	Henry Amazeen	150.00	31.39	6.39	4.00	33.78
1923	Chas. E. Whitehouse	150.00	7.04	5.53	5.00	7.57
1924	Mary B. Hanscom	200.00	71.08	9.55	7.00	73.63
1925	Albert W. Hanscom	100.00	3.17	3.62	3.00	3.79
1927	Nathaniel Yeaton	100.00	4.38	3.68	3.00	5.06
1928	Elizabeth T. C. Rand	500.00	157.38	23.19	10.00	170.57
1929	Addie Libbey	100.00	3.17	3.62	3.00	3.79
1930	Z. J. V. Randall	74.00	23.48	3.43	2.00	24.91
1931	Elizabeth Garvin	200.00	19.63	7.73	6.00	21.36
1932	Helena Trefethen	50.00	7.05	2.02	1.50	7.57
1933	Chandler Martin and					
1933	Benjamin Batson	200.00	9.58	7.39	6.00	10.97
1935	Alden W. P. White	100.00	22.57	7.85	7.00	23.42
1937	Robert Oliver	100.00	8.41	3.82	3.00	9.23
1938	Mary A. Preble	150.00	26.71	6.21	6.00	26.92

1938	Silas H. Harding	200.00	11.71	7.45	6.00	13.16
1938	Robert F. White	200.00	6.46	7.29	6.00	7.75
1938	James Davidson	250.00	41.33	10.27	7.00	44.60
1939	Bert White	125.00	10.06	4.76	3.00	11.82
1939	Ann W. Smart	150.00	5.57	5.48	4.00	7.05
1939	Mary L. Batson	200.00	13.15	7.51	6.00	14.66
1940	Carrie Poole Tarlton	100.00	5.99	3.71	3.00	6.70
1944	Roy H. Curtis	75.00	15.84	3.19	2.00	17.03
1946	Nellie A. Card	150.00	10.45	5.65	4.00	12.10
1949	Anne C. Amazeen	300.00	41.23	12.04	8.00	45.27
1949	Alice Roth	100.00	5.13	3.70	3.00	5.83
1949	Joseph L. Hart	400.00	73.20	16.70	8.00	81.90
1951	Le Roy Haywood	300.00	74.90	13.22	20.00	68.12
1951	Henry T. Tarlton	300.00	40.78	12.01	7.00	45.79
1952	William T. Meloon	300.00	34.00	11.78	7.00	38.78
1952	Rufus A. Yeaton	300.00	35.04	11.81	7.00	39.85
1952	John Smith	200.00	9.82	7.39	6.00	11.21
1954	Rufus T. Emery	300.00	29.97	11.61	7.00	34.59
1954	Stacy Hall and Stacy B. Hall	300.00	27.54	11.55	7.00	32.09
1954	William Trefethen	200.00	25.46	7.95	5.00	28.41
1956	Chas. F. Prohaska, Sr.	300.00	29.88	11.62	6.00	35.50
1958	E. Roscoe Mathews	300.00	8.53	10.87	6.00	13.40
1959	Chester A. Becker	300.00	6.59	10.80	5.00	12.39
1959	Florence M. Blaisdell	300.00	4.80	10.75	10.00	5.55
1960	William F. Worden	300.00	3.50	10.69	4.00	10.19
1960	George W. White	400.00	1.17	14.16	6.00	9.33
1960	George W. White	300.00	.88	10.61	4.00	7.49
1961	Stephen H. Wargo*	300.00	0.00	1.75	0.00	1.75
1961	Catherine Harris*	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
1961	Alberta M. Sargent*	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
		\$15,324.00	\$1,143.62	\$557.71	\$431.02	\$1,270.31
		Interest at 3½% on above Funds.				
		WALTER C. HAYDEN, Trustee.				

* New Funds Created.

● AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correct in all respects.
February 3, 1962

INGEBORG M. ALMGREN, Auditor.



POLICE DEPARTMENT

1961

● CONDENSED SUMMARY OF POLICE REPORT

(A complete report will be given from the floor)

I wish to thank the Citizens, Teachers, School Board and the Selectmen for their cooperation for the past year. As of November 4th, 1961, we past our tenth year without a motor vehicle fatality, and five years of no reported bodily injury in a motor vehicle or on the highway. The commissioner of motor vehicles and the American Automobile Association (AAA) have awarded this department a Certificate of Merit for our safety record. I would like every citizen in this town to feel that they had a part in this achievement.

876 calls were answered for the year, 207 calls were from 12 midnight to 6:00 a. m.; 7 ambulance calls, 49 recommended suspension of driver licenses, 523 warnings, 241 defective equipment tags; 83 Municipal Court cases, etc.

There were safety talks given to children in school and to teachers. 151 cars stopped in school safety zone, and given warnings.

SLOW - DOWN - AND - LIVE ! Accidents are Avoidable. Alertness Avoids Accidents.

**FOR POLICE — CALL
GE 6-3113 Home or Office**

IF NO ANSWER CALL

Portsmouth Police GE 6-2145

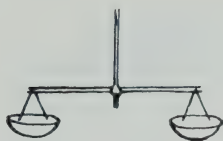
OR

Rye Police WO 4-5521

They can contact me by Radio

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY GREENBERG, Chief of Police.



JUSTICE

MUNICIPAL COURT REPORT — 1961

Report from January 1, 1961 through December 31, 1961

During the year 1961, there were entered 83 criminal complaints. These were all heard and completed in the Municipal Court of New Castle.

Date	Total Receipts	Paid to Town of New Castle	Paid to N. H. Comm. of Motor Vehicles	Miscellaneous Fines assessed in 1960 — paid in 1961
	\$45.00	\$13.50	\$31.50	
Jan. 13	20.00	20.00		
Jan. 27	15.00	6.00	9.00	
Feb. 24	30.00	12.00	18.00	
Mar. 10	20.00	6.50	13.50	
Mar. 17	5.00	5.00		
Mar. 24	15.00	6.00	9.00	
	52.35	52.35		
				Evidence on gambling - forfeited
Apr. 7	15.00	6.00	9.00	
Apr. 21	20.00	6.50	13.50	
May 5	15.00	6.00	9.00	
May 26	20.00	6.50	13.50	
June 5	20.00	11.00	9.00	
June 16	20.00	6.50	13.50	
June 2	150.00	19.50	119.86	
				Witness fee and mileage \$10.64
June 30	35.00	21.50	13.50	
July 7	15.00	6.00	9.00	
July 14	40.00	13.00	27.00	
July 21	35.00	12.50	22.50	
Aug. 11	45.00	18.00	27.00	
Aug. 23	25.00	7.00	18.00	
Aug. 25	25.00	7.00	18.00	
Sept. 1	30.00	16.50	13.50	
Sept. 8	165.00	52.50	112.50	
Sept. 15	85.00	26.50	58.50	
Sept. 22	20.00	6.50	13.50	
Sept. 29	50.00	23.00	27.00	
Oct. 13	30.00	16.50	13.50	
Oct. 20	50.00	9.50	40.50	

Oct. 23	20.00	6.50	13.50
Oct. 24	20.00	6.50	13.50
Oct. 27	80.00	26.00	54.00
Nov. 10	10.00	10.00	
Dec. 8	20.00	6.50	13.50

Guardian ad Litem	25.00
Special Justice	10.00
Rae S. Laraba	
American Flag	30.30

	65.30	
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\$1,262.35	\$409.55	\$776.86

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\$75.94	

Cash on hand, December 31, 1960	None
Receipts for 1961	\$1,262.35

Disbursements:

Witness fee	
and mileage	10.64
Guardian ad	
litem fee	25.00
Special Justice	10.00
American Flag	30.30
Town of	
New Castle	409.55
Motor Vehicle	
Department	776.86

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1,262.35

Cash on hand, December 31, 1961	None
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Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM F. HARRINGTON, Justice.

● AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that I have examined the receipts and disbursements for the Municipal Court of New Castle for the year 1961 and have found the same to be correctly cast and properly vouched.

INGEBORG M. ALMGREN,

Auditor.

February 13, 1962.



REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY 1961

● BALANCE SHEET — As of December 31, 1961

Assets

Cash in Checking Account	\$ 670.92	
Cash in Savings Account	555.79	
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TOTAL CASH ON HAND		\$1,226.71

Liabilities

	(none)	
Cash Surplus		\$1,226.71

● OPERATING REPORT — 1961

Receipts

Town Appropriation, 1961		
May 3	\$ 300.00	
July 31	300.00	
December 29	600.00	
Elizabeth T. C. Rand Fund	176.52	
Gifts and Fines	136.00	
Net Income on Savings Account	18.94	
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NET TOTAL RECEIPTS \$1,531.46

CASH ON HAND DEC. 31, 1960

Checking Account	\$ 583.79
Savings Account	536.85

TOTAL CASH \$1,120.64

TOTAL \$2,652.10

Expenditures

Librarian's Salary	\$ 523.80
Janitor's Salary	139.76
Social Security Tax	20.52
Heat	325.66
Light	78.16
Books	263.07
Magazines	26.60
Library Supplies	21.70
Library Repairs	24.12

Library Association, dues	2.00	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		\$1,425.38
CASH ON HAND, DEC. 31, 1961		
Checking Account	\$ 670.93	
Savings Account	555.79	
		\$1,226.72
TOTAL		\$2,652.10

MARGARET R. FROBISHER,
GERTRUDE B. McCARTHY,
CARRIE L. ROBINSON,

Trustees.

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing account and
find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

INGEBORG M. ALMGREN,
Auditor.

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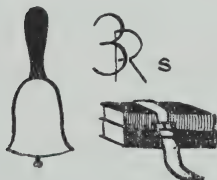
SCHOOL
DISTRICT

ANNUAL REPORT — 1961



DISTRICT OFFICERS

- DISTRICT CLERK Mary Alma Webb
- SCHOOL BOARD Robert F. Andrews, 1 year
Eugene W. Morrill, 3 years
Lois T. Page, 2 years
- DISTRICT TREASURER Douglas C. Pridham
- AUDITOR Albert D'Antonio
- TRUANT OFFICER Lois T. Page
- MODERATOR George S. Pitts



INSTRUCTION STAFF

- JASON E. BOYNTON Superintendent of Schools
- PEARL S. WOODSON Grades 1 and 2
- MARIE L. HODGKINS Grades 3 and 4
- FLORENCE THOMPSON, Principal Grades 5 and 6
- NANCY NORWOOD Art
- MARCIA LEAVITT Music
- CAROL B. KENNEDY School Nurse



SCHOOL DISTRICT WARRANT — 1962

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of New Castle, in the County of Rockingham, State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote upon District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the TOWN HALL in the said District of NEW CASTLE on MONDAY the TWELFTH day of MARCH, 1962, at 7:30 P. M. in the evening, and to cast ballots from that hour until at least nine oclock in the evening of said day for candidates for the following district offices:

1. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing one year.
5. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.

And you are also notified to meet at the same place at 7:30 P. M. o'clock in the evening to act upon the following subjects:

6. To see what action the District will take in relation to the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen.
7. To choose, Agents, Auditors, and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in the warrant.

8. To see what sum of money the District will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of School District Officials and Agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the District, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income, the School Board to certify to the Selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by the Town.

9. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this twentieth day of February
in the year of our Lord, One Thousand, Nine Hundred and Sixty-Two.

ROBERT F. ANDREWS,
LOIS T. PAGE,
EUGENE W. MORRILL,
School Board
of New Castle, N. H.

A true copy of warrant — Attest:

ROBERT F. ANDREWS,
LOIS T. PAGE,
EUGENE W. MORRILL,
School Board
of New Castle, N. H.

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SCHOOL BUDGET

1962 - 1963

	Actual Expenditures 1960-61	Adopted Budget 1961-62	School Bds. Budget 1962-63
● ADMINISTRATION			
Salaries of District Officers	\$900.00	\$900.00	\$900.00
Superintendent's Salary (local)	185.64	220.78	214.23
Tax for State-Wide Supervision	308.00	294.00	302.00
Salaries of Other Adm. Personnel	581.43	583.70	534.01
Supplies and Other Exp. of Adm.	327.90	349.72	351.72
● INSTRUCTION			
Teachers' Salaries	15,391.75	16,115.00	16,860.00
Textbooks and Other Ins. Aids	580.14	714.46	350.00
Scholars' Supplies	447.86	520.00	400.00
Salaries of Clerical Assistants	—	400.00	500.00
Supplies and Other Exp. of Instr.	243.51	287.50	275.00
● OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT			
Salaries of Custodians	1,200.00	1,320.00	1,400.00
Fuel or heat	446.19	600.00	500.00
Water, light & Custodial Sup.	291.95	550.00	500.00
● MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT			
Repairs and replacements	332.66	300.00	400.00
● AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES			
Health Supervision	375.34	400.00	450.00
Transportation	4,700.00	5,220.00	5,000.00
Tuition	22,316.37	28,406.00	32,250.00
Special Activities and Spec. Funds	434.97	441.80	384.59
School Lunch and Milk	132.93	200.00	200.00
● FIXED CHARGES			
Retirement and Social Security	583.43	612.28	656.15
Insurance, Treasurer's Bonds	592.29	303.50	380.00
N. D. E. A.	—	—	219.60
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TOTAL CURRENT EXP.	\$50,372.36	\$58,738.74	\$63,027.33
● CAPITAL OUTLAY			
Add. & Improvements to Prop.	\$266.86	\$655.00	\$750.00

New Equipment	410.78	106.57	200.00
● DEBT AND INTEREST			
Principal of Debt	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Interest on Debt	437.00	399.00	361.00
GRAND TOTALS	\$53,487.00	\$61,899.31	\$66,338.33

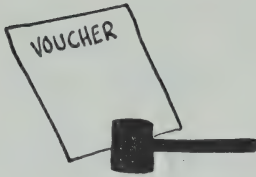
● ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

	Actual Expenditures 1960-61	Adopted Budget 1961-62	School Bds. Budget 1962-63
Balance (actual or estimated)	\$6,856.99	\$3,975.84	\$4,839.00
State Building Aid	559.32	600.00	600.00
Nat. School Lunch & Milk Prog.	102.51	200.00	200.00
Public Law #874 (Current Expense Aid)	8,208.20	3,200.00	8,950.00
N. D. E. A. Federal Aid	226.65	113.24	109.80
Other	738.00	—	—
Total Estimated Receipts	\$16,691.67	\$8,089.08	\$14,698.80
District Assessment Raised or to be raised by property taxes	40,730.49	53,810.23	51,639.53
Total Appropriation voted by District	\$57,422.16	\$61,899.31	\$66,338.33

SUPERINTENDENT & TEACHER CONSULTANT'S SALARY SHARES

The following figures show the State's Share of the Superintendent's and Teacher Consultant's Salaries and the proportionate share paid by each school district in Supervisory Union No. 21, for 1961-62.

	Superintendent	Teacher Consultant
State's Share	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00
Cooperative No. 6	2,543.63	1,182.04
Hampton	2,615.45	1,215.41
Hampton Falls	269.02	125.02
New Castle	226.10	105.07
North Hampton	750.98	348.98
Rye	1,146.22	532.66
Seabrook	801.13	372.28
South Hampton	147.47	68.54
TOTAL	\$11,000.00	\$6,450.00



SCHOOL DISTRICT FINANCIAL REPORT

1960 - 1961

RECEIPTS

Federal Aid

National School Lunch and Special Milk	\$102.51
Public Law 874 - Current Expense Aid	8,208.20
N. D. E. A.	226.65

State Aid

Building Aid	559.32
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Local Taxation

Current Appropriation	40,730.49
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Other Sources

Other	738.00
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TOTAL

\$50,565.17

Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1960

General Fund

6,856.99

GRAND TOTAL NET RECEIPTS

\$57,422.16

PAYMENTS

● ADMINISTRATION

Salaries of District Officers	\$900.00
Superintendent's Salaries (local share)	185.64
Tax for State Wide Supervision	308.00
Salaries of Administrative Personnel	581.43
Supplies and Expenses	327.90

● INSTRUCTION

Teachers' Salaries	\$15,391.75
Books and Other Instructional Aids	580.14
Scholars' Supplies	447.86
Supplies and Other Expenses	243.51

● OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT

Salaries of Custodians	\$1,200.00
Fuel or Heat	446.19
Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses	291.95

● MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT

Repairs and Replacements	\$332.66
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● **AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES**

Health Supervision	\$375.34
Transportation	4,700.00
Tuition	22,316.37
Special Activities and Special Funds	434.97
School Lunch and Milk	132.93

● **FIXED CHARGES**

Retirement	\$583.43
Insurance, Treas. Bonds and Expenses	592.29

TOTAL NET CURRENT EXPENSES	\$50,372.36
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● **CAPITAL OUTLAY**

Additions and Improvements to Buildings	\$266.86
New Equipment	410.78

● **DEBT AND INTEREST**

Principal of Debt	2,000.00
Interest on Debt	437.00

TOTAL NET PAYMENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES	\$53,487.00
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Cash on hand at end of year, June 30, 1961	3,935.16
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GRAND TOTAL NET PAYMENTS	\$57,422.16
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**EXPLANATION OF DIFFERENCE BETWEEN NET (ACTUAL)
EXPENDITURES AND GROSS TRANSACTIONS**

Total Net Income Plus Cash on Hand, July 1, 1960	\$57,422.16
Receipts and Payments from Refunds,	
Double Payments, "In and Out" Transactions,	
Transfers, etc.	29.31
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	\$54,451.47

● **CERTIFICATE**

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 71 of the Revised Statutes Annotated, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

JASON E. BOYNTON,	ROBERT F. ANDREWS,
Superintendent.	EUGENE W. MORRILL,
	LOIS T. PAGE,
	School Board



DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT — 1960 - 1961

Cash on hand, July 1, 1960	\$6,856.99
● RECEIVED FROM SELECTMEN	
Current Appropriation	\$40,730.49
● RECEIVED FROM STATE TREASURER	
State Funds	102.51
Federal Funds	785.97
● RECEIVED DIRECTLY FROM FEDERAL AGENCIES	
Federal Agencies	8,208.20
● RECEIVED FROM ALL OTHER SOURCES	
Other Sources	767.31
TOTAL RECEIPTS	<hr/> \$50,594.48
TOTAL AMOUNT AVAILABLE FOR	
FISCAL YEAR (Balance and Receipts)	57,451.47
LESS SCHOOL BOARD ORDERS PAID	53,516.32
BALANCE ON HAND, JUNE 30, 1961	<hr/> \$3,935.16
(Treasurer's Bank Balance)	

DOUGLAS PRIDHAM,
District Treasurer.

● AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of New Castle of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1961 and find them correct in all respects.

ALBERT M. D'ANTONIO,

July 21, 1961

Auditor.



BALANCE SHEET

As of June 30, 1961

● ASSETS

Cash on hand June 30, 1961	\$3,935.16
Accounts due to district from State, Building Aid	40.68
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TOTAL ASSETS	\$3,975.84
Net Debt (Excess of Liabilities over Assets)	18,024.16
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GRAND TOTAL	\$22,000.00

● LIABILITIES

Notes and Bonds Outstanding	\$22,000.00
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TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$22,000.00

● STATUS OF SCHOOL NOTES AND BONDS

Outstanding at beginning of year	\$24,000.00
Payments of Principal of Debt	2,000.00
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Notes and bonds outstanding at end of year	\$22,000.00



SUPERINTENDENT'S ANNUAL REPORT

To: School Board Members and Citizens of Supervisory Union No. 21

The writer, in this, his first report to citizens of Supervisory Union No. 21, is providing information about this Union with the hope that it will be of interest to citizens and add generally to the understanding of educational organization within our state.

There are seven elementary school districts and one Cooperative School District in this Supervisory Union.

In September of 1961 there were 2,688 elementary pupils in grades 1 - 8 inclusive in the towns of Hampton, Hampton Falls, New Castle, North Hampton, Rye, Seabrook, and South Hampton and 661 secondary students attending Winnacunnett High School, Cooperative School District No. 6, from the towns of Hampton, Hampton Falls, North Hampton, and Seabrook. It is of interest to note that the total of 3,349 pupils exceeds the total population of each of the several towns within the union except Hampton. .

The organization of school districts into supervisory unions is required by action of the State Legislature to provide educational supervision and to ensure compliance with State Laws. The statutes require school board members within a supervisory union to meet between April 1 and June 1, annually, to choose a chairman, secretary, and treasurer of the supervisory union. Also at this meeting the joint board nominates a superintendent, if a vacancy exists, determines the superintendent's salary, and conducts such other business as may be necessary.

Before January 1 the supervisory union board adopts a budget for the next fiscal year, which budget includes items necessary for the operation of the union. The budget is apportioned to the several participating districts according to a formula prescribed in the statutes. Each district is required to raise the apportioned amount at the next annual meeting of the district.

Supervisory Union No. 21 provides supervisory and administrative services for 176 professional staff members, 14 secretaries, 18 custodians, and 20 cafeteria workers. Bookkeeping services are provided for transactions amounting to \$1,791,126.00 as budgeted for the 1961-1962 school year.

The staff of your supervisory union office includes: a teacher consultant, an executive assistant to the superintendent, a bookkeeper and

two secretaries. This staff is exceptionally competent, and indeed it must be to provide the administrative services required for a union of this size.

Miss Leota R. Whitcomb, Teacher Consultant of Supervisory Union No. 21 is a very able person. Her responsibilities are principally educational in nature. She works with individual teachers to improve instruction at the elementary level and assists the superintendent in many matters of educational significance. Curriculum (what we teach) and instruction (how we teach) are constant concerns of any school system. The why, when, where, and who also come under scrutiny, but the first two — content and method — are more subject to change as well as subject to demands for change by splinter groups. If change is to result in better education there must be a study of all factors involved.

During the school year 1960-61 a science curriculum guide for grades 7, 8, and 9 was completed and an arithmetic guide for grades 1 through 6 entered the final editing stage. Both of these projects, begun under the leadership of Superintendent of Schools, C. M. Green, were carried on over a two-year period by committees of teachers, working with Teacher Consultant Whitcomb, and members of the State Department of Education. Each curriculum guide represents a thorough study of methods, materials, subject matter, and research, and each guide attempts to present the best thinking of those participating in the study.

It is a function of the supervisory union office to encourage study which will promote change and improvement in our curriculum, but to the committee of teachers who devoted much outside time and effort to this work much credit is due.

Because of these many changes in curriculum and instruction, it is important that we keep abreast of the best educational thinking. To this end the Teacher Consultant participates in many meetings, both within and without the Union. She frequently arranges for meetings of various staff groups, sometimes to share ideas within the group and sometimes to bring in new ideas. Many consultants have been invited to our schools in the past year — reading specialists, consultants in mathematics, science, foreign languages, guidance, testing, and others.

Through courses arranged by the Union Office, teachers have had opportunities to learn more about elementary school science, social studies, and mathematics, and about guidance, team learning, and audio-visual aids. With a large number of teachers enrolling in these courses our school system keeps alert and informed of latest methods and materials, and choosing the best from these, better education is offered to the boys and girls.

Miss Edith Hammond has served this union as Executive Assistant to the Superintendent for eight years. School Board members are well

acquainted with the high quality of her work and the many hours required to attend to the business affairs of the eight school districts. She has received national recognition and is presently serving her second year as President of the National Association of Educational Secretaries, a Department of the National Education Association. Above and beyond the planning and correspondence involved with such a position, she has traveled from one side of the United States to the other twice within the past year. She attended the NAES Convention and Institute in Oregon in July, and the National Regional Meeting in California in November. As President she is frequently called upon as speaker at local and state meetings of Educational Secretaries, particularly in the Northeast area of the country; attends NEA Conventions as a delegate from her Association; and participates in the annual meeting of Presidents and Executive Secretaries of NEA Departments which is held in Washington, D. C. Her term as President will close with the annual convention in July to be held in Emporia, Kansas.

Miss Marjorie Lord competently prepares payroll manifests totaling approximately \$1,026,300.00 annually as well as other transactions for the eight school districts.

Two secretaries, Mrs. Jean Lovejoy and Mrs. Judy Batchelder effectively handle the volume of correspondence, reports, and general office routine, that one finds in a busy office. The secretarial work of a union office is quite different from most other offices and the training and experience these staff members have acquired is of considerable value to the supervisory union. .

It may interest the reader to study for a moment the chart provided below which depicts the growth of the several communities within this school union. Please notice the comparative figures for the year 1950 and the year 1960.

● COMPARATIVE STUDY TOWN AND SCHOOL POPULATIONS

1950 — 1960

Towns Within Supervisory	TOWN POPULATION			SCHOOL POPULATIONS		
	1950	1960	% of increase	1950	1960	% of increase
Union No. 21	2847	5379	88.9	482	1322	174.3
Hampton	629	885	40.7	98	201	105.0
Hampton Falls	583	823	41.2	69	139	101.4
New Castle	1104	1910	73.0	212	461	117.5
North Hampton	1982	3244	63.7	341	686	101.2
Rye	1788	2209	23.5	338	493	45.9
Seabrook	314	443	41.1	40	93	132.5
South Hampton						
TOTAL	9,247	14,893	—	1,580	3,395	—
Average Per Cent of Increase			61.1			114.9

The total population of Supervisory Union No. 21 increased from 9,247 to 14,893 — a per cent increase of 61.1 — while the school population increased from 1,580 pupils to 3,395 — a per cent increase of 114.9. The total population increase is conspicuous, but one may also note that pupils attending public schools make up a significantly greater per cent of the total population in 1960 than did the pupils in 1950. Nearly one in every four of the total population is a public school pupil in 1960.

The citizens of these several towns should indeed be complimented for having provided the additional classrooms, staff and materials required by such rapid growth. Additional pupils is one reason for increased cost for education..

It is relatively an easy matter to show population growth, but the matter of improved quality of instruction is far more difficult to treat objectively. One thing is certain — there has been lively activity in the “pursuit of excellence” during recent years and there is every indication that such activity should continue.

The key to quality instruction is as it always has been, a quality staff. One of the most important functions of the supervisory union office is the recruitment and selection of competent teachers. Personnel practices must facilitate the retention of able staff members and provide for the removal of ineffective personnel.

Much progress has and is being made toward improved quality of instruction. Television is being used to make superior teachers available to many pupils, improved audio-visual aids are used to liven teacher presentations, team teaching is being tried as a promising new method of instruction, large group instruction and team learning are being used experimentally in some schools, and increased guidance services to assist students in the selection of courses appropriate to their capabilities.

The writer wishes to acknowledge the cooperation which Superintendent C. M. Green provided during the transfer of administrative responsibility. It is to his credit that the Supervisory Union is well organized and that the transfer of responsibilities presented no unusual difficulties.

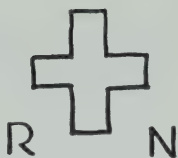
In the report an attempt has been made to acquaint citizens with the structure, functions, and staff of the supervisory union office. The reader will find information relative to developments within the particular school district in the Principal's report.

The writer is sincerely appreciative of the many kindnesses extended to him and he pledges his best efforts to the responsibilities and duties of this office.

Respectfully submitted,

JASON E. BOYNTON,
Superintendent of Schools.

January 24, 1962



SCHOOL NURSE'S REPORT

February 1961 to February 1962

The careful supervision of New Castle children by parents and family physicians results in a higher than average over-all health record. This was confirmed at the annual medical examinations in March when no serious health defects were found in any of the sixty children examined. The school nurse, when reporting minor defects, has always found parents cooperative and anxious to carry on any follow-up indicated.

While conducting visual acuity tests last Spring, it was discovered that nine children needed follow-up examinations. Four of these now are wearing glasses.

The school nurse inspected more than a hundred students last year. This is necessary if a child is absent from school more than three days in succession. Many of these absences were due to the epidemics of Mumps and German Measles that continued for more than six weeks last February and March.

In October, the teachers, school nurse and custodian had tuberculin patch tests or chest X-rays. This was to comply with the rule that persons coming in contact with school children must be checked every year. These were negative as were the 72 children previously tested.

In December, a team of dental hygienists, with the approval of the New Hampshire Dental Association and the local School Board, offered a fine program at our school. For a small fee, the teeth were cleaned and checked. A solution of sodium flouride was then applied for four treatments. Thirty-six children were registered and received this program. The hygienists also gave demonstrations to all grades about correct oral hygiene.

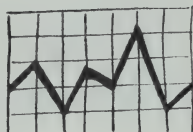
Visual acuity tests are being conducted this winter and physical examinations also are scheduled to be held soon.

Due to the pressure of private practice, Dr. David Straus, Portsmouth, resigned as the New Castle School Physician. He had served in that capacity for 10 years. The School Board has engaged Dr. Harold Hoefle to act in this capacity.

In January, the school nurse attended a winter conference for

school-nurse-teachers at Concord, New Hampshire. The theme — School Health as an Educational Program — was presented during a panel discussion by Nurses, Physicians, and Superintendents from urban and rural areas. It is the desire of the school nurse to attend all such state and district meetings for the exchange of knowledge and ideas is most worth-while.

CAROL B. KENNEDY, R. N.,
School Nurse,
New Castle School District.



SCHOOL STATISTICS

1960 - 1961

School	Teacher	Grade	Average Membership	% Of Attendance
Intermediate	Florence T. Thompson	5-6	26.2	95.4
Primary	Marie L. Hodgkins	3-4	26.9	93.0
Primary	Pearl S. Woodeson	1-2	18.9	94.0
Art	Nancy Norwood	1-6		
Music	Marcia Leavitt	1-6		
Nurse	Carol B. Kennedy	1-6		

PROMOTIONS, JUNE 1961

Grade	1	2	3	4	5	6	Totals
Promoted	10	9	16	11	15	11	72
Not Promoted	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Average Age	6.7	7.2	8.2	9.1	10.3	11.1	—

ENROLLMENT, FALL TERM 1961

Grade	1	2	3	4	5	6	Totals
Florence T. Thompson					13	16	29
Marie L. Hodgkins			7	15			22
Pearl S. Woodeson	6	10					16
							67

SCHOOL CENSUS

Number of Children in District 1-5 years of age	71
Number of Children in District 1-18 years of age	152
Number of Children in Parochial or Private Sch.	17
Number of Children 5 - 18 not attending school	1

NEW CASTLE TUITION PUPILS

1961 - 1962

PORTSMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL

GRADE XII: Eleanor Amazeen, Frederic Cabana, Russell Davis, Gary Glidden, Daniel Lunt, Alice McCormack, Elizabeth Miller, Thomas Webb, Camilla Pierce.

GRADE XI: Michael Frampton, Priscilla Hodgkins, Philip McDonough, Richard MacLeod, Charles Petlich, Donna Priestly.

GRADE X: Sandra Harris, Judith LaRose, Charlene Magoon,

George Patten, Pamela Pitts, Kendrick Poole, George Ricker, William Robinson, Susan Tabbutt, Virginia Webb, Bette Vennard.

PORTSMOUTH JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

GRADE IX: Ronald Andrews, Frederick Coyle, Robert Fletcher, Damon Frampton, John Hassett, Janice Hodgdon, Deborah Hutchinson, Janice Langley, Joanne Legare, Robert Mulholland, Joann Petlick, Janet Rowe, Joan Sinclair, Pamela Snyder.

GRADE VIII: Kevin Campbell, Kathleen Gordon, Jeffrey Jones, Carolyn Kelly, Dennis King, Betty LaRose, John LaRose, Sharon MacLeod, Sue McClellan, Byron Newton, Sue-Ellen Patten, David Porter, David Pridham, Sandra Sinclair, Stephen White, Nancy Whitehead, George Jenkins.

GRADE VII: Philip Finn, Brendan Harrington, Susan Hunter, Elizabeth Kennedy, Wendy Kimball, Charles Legare, Roderick MacDonald, Tristram Morrill, Susan Peirce, Robert Poole, Beryl Pridham, Sherman Pridham, Michael Straw, Albert Thomits, Charles Keiling.

